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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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SYSTEM FOR THERMALLY INSULATING TUBULAR BODIES

AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2004 (Paper No. 07262004). This response is being timely filed by November 29, 2004 (November 28 being a Sunday), in view of the submission herewith of a Petition for Extension of Time (one month). Please amend the application, without prejudice as follows: